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BRISTOL V. STRAITS, BOMBAY, &c.	Trieste	Aust. str.	Mitt	Bartholomew & Co.	On 20th inst.
PORTLAND, OREGON VIA KORE	Eden	Brit. str.	Levy	Bartholomew & Co.	On 20th inst.
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COLOMBO, &c.	Bramas	Brit. str.	Porter	Bartholomew & Co.	On 20th inst.
COLOMBO, &c.	Eden	Brit. str.	Harwood	Bartholomew & Co.	On 20th inst.
SAN FRANCISCO VIA STRAITS, &c.	Eden	Amer. str.	Harwood	Bartholomew & Co.	On 20th inst.
SAN FRANCISCO	New York	Amer. ship.	Peabody	Bartholomew & Co.	On 20th inst.
NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL	Sikh	Brit. str.	Harwood	Bartholomew & Co.	On 20th inst.
NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL	Barnfield	Brit. str.	Moffis	Bartholomew & Co.	On 20th inst.
NEW YORK	Eden	Brit. str.	Smith	Bartholomew & Co.	On 20th inst.
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